

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

No. C 00-00927 WHA

CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, a
non-profit corporation; SIERRA CLUB, a non-
profit corporation; and PUBLIC EMPLOYEES
FOR ENVIRONMENTAL
RESPONSIBILITY, a non-profit corporation,

**ORDER DESIGNATING CASE
FOR ELECTRONIC CASE
FILING**

Plaintiffs,

v.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT,

Defendant.

This case is hereby **DESIGNATED FOR INCLUSION IN THE ELECTRONIC CASE FILING PROGRAM** pursuant to General Order No. 45 of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California.

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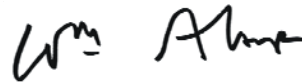
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3 Among the important provisions of these rules is that “[e]ach attorney of record is
4 obligated to become an ECF User and be assigned a user ID and password for access to the
5 system upon notification that the action is subject to ECF,” Gen. Order No. 45, § IV.A., and that
6 “parties are required to lodge for chambers no later than noon on the business day following the
7 day that the papers are filed electronically, one paper copy of each document that is filed
8 electronically,” *id.* § VI.G. Chambers copies must be delivered to the Clerk’s Office. *Ibid.*
9 Please review the rules and Order No. 45 in their entirety. Your full compliance is required and
10 expected.

11 If you believe that you should be exempted from e-filing, please make an administrative
12 motion to be excluded. *See* Civil L.R. 7-11.

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14 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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16 Dated: August 2, 2007.



WILLIAM ALSUP
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE